

In the Drawings

Figures 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 11g have been added to Fig. 11 to show features described in the specification as originally filed. No new matter has been added. Support for the features in figures 11a-11g can be found in the specification, for example, at page 10, lines 9-12.

In the Specification

On page 7, in the Brief Description of the Drawings section, please insert the following paragraphs between lines 8 and 9:

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Fig. 11a shows the revenue meter of FIGS. 1-3 with a touch screen input device coupled to the meter.

Fig. 11b shows the revenue meter of FIGS. 1-3 with a mouse input device coupled to the meter.

Fig. 11c shows the revenue meter of FIGS. 1-3 with a track ball input device coupled to the meter.

Fig. 11d shows the revenue meter of FIGS. 1-3 with a light pen input device coupled to the meter.

Fig. 11e shows the revenue meter of FIGS. 1-3 with a membrane switch input device coupled to the meter.

Fig. 11f shows the revenue meter of FIGS. 1-3 with a joystick input device coupled to the meter.

Fig. 11g shows the revenue meter of FIGS. 1-3 with a dial input device coupled to the meter.

On page 10, please delete the paragraph contained in line 3 to line 12, and insert the following text thereof:

Referring to FIGS. 1-3, the S-base and A-base revenue meters' cover 24, and the Switchboard revenue meter's cover 48, are at least partially transparent. The transparency permits viewing of the meter's display 28 including a graphic user interface (GUI)(not shown) without having to remove the cover 24. As mentioned above, the meter cover 24 provides the context adaptable input device such as the

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keypad 32 for interacting with the revenue meter while the meter cover 24, 48 remains in place. Artisans will appreciate that the keypad 32 can be replaced with other context adaptable input devices, such as a touch screen 1100, a mouse 1110, a track ball 1120, a light pen 1130, a membrane switch 1140, joystick 1150, dial 1160, or other similar devices.

In the claims

Please add new claims 32 and 33 as follows:

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(New) 32. The revenue meter according to claim 1 wherein the graphic user interface displays at least one of a scalable text, a rectangle and a chart.

(New) 33. The revenue meter according to claim 23 wherein the graphic user interface displays at least one of a scalable text, a rectangle and a chart.

REMARKS

Changes to the specification and claims are shown in the attached Appendix A ("VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE") with additions underlined.

The drawings stand objected to under 37 CFR 1.83(a) as failing to show all features of the invention claimed. Figures 11a-11g have been included in the drawings to better describe the claimed features. The figures are supported by the specification on page 10, lines 9-12. No new matter has been added.

Claims 1 and 20 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Coryea et al. (U.S. patent #4,959,607). Regarding claim 1, Applicants respectively traverse this rejection because Coryea et al. fails to disclose or suggest the claimed graphic user interface and/or a context adaptable input device.

Coryea et al. purports to disclose "An electronic energy meter ... with ... push button switches ... which are selectively actuated..." (see, e.g. Abstract). Each switch has a fixed function (see e.g. col. 4, lines 9-19). Coryea et al. also purports to disclose a display which may be capable of displaying numerical quantities (see at least col. 3, lines 66 to col. 4, line 1). Coryea et al. fails to disclose or suggest a graphic user